

GOSSIP

Mr. Fred Goodsir, who occupies the important position of rates clerk of Fairfield Council, has passed the examination for his town clerk's certificate. Congratulations, Fred.

Mr. P. Stiff, the pleasant manager of Sydney Cash and Carry Fairfield, and Mrs. Stiff returned this week from a Pioneer tour to Melbourne.

Mrs. Anderson and daughter Miss Nell, and Mr. Jim O'Sullivan, have just returned from Ballina after spending a very enjoyable holiday. The fish were biting well and Jim did not like leaving. Mrs. Anderson caught whiting weighing two pounds—this is no fish "tall."

Mrs. G. Dekker, of Fairfield, sons Richard and Jan, and daughter Janice, had a delightful holiday in the Dandenong Ranges and at Canberra. In the Federal Capital they caught some Murray cod and trout.

Amongst the bowlers from Arncliffe blacuit factory on Sunday was Mr. Jim Beckhaus of Cabramatta.

Congratulations to Bob Charlwood on his first win in the Bowls Pennants last Saturday.

Mr. Theo Stein was almost mistaken for "Winney" with his c'ear on the bowling green last Sunday.

His Eminence Cardinal Otilroy, Catholic Archbishop of Sydney, will visit Fairfield on Sunday 8th March, at 2.20 p.m. He will solemnly bless and open the new Catholic Boys' School in Fairfield Street.

Mrs. Stella Lawrence of 77a Hamilton Road, Fairfield, injured her elbow when she accidentally fell from a chair last Saturday. She was conveyed to Parramatta Hospital by Liverpool Ambulance.

John Ringk (7), of 37 Sackville Street, Fairfield, was admitted to Western Suburbs Hospital last Saturday suffering from acute appendicitis. All the gang send him a big "cheerio" and hope to see him home again soon.

"How proud is his mother to hear that Mervyn R. Birks, son of the late Mr. Charles Birks, and of Mrs. A. Birks, of Kenyon Street, Fairfield, has been chosen as one of the eight light horsemen to be bodyguard to the Prime Minister of Australia and escort to the Queen at the Coronation. Congratulations, Mervyn.

Sincere sympathy is extended to Mr. R. W. Bennett, of Fairfield St., Fairfield, on the death of his brother, Mr. Fred Bennett, a Digger, who died suddenly at his residence, Ashfield.

Sorry to learn that Mrs. Kelly, of York Street, is still a hospital patient. Her many friends wish a quick return to good health.

Little Lee Woods, the 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Woods, of York Street, Fairfield,

fell on a broken tile last Wednesday and gave her hand a nasty gash necessitating the insertion of four stitches.